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Southern District of New York*

*United States District Courthouse  
300 Quarropas Street  
White Plains, New York 10601*

January 27, 2020

**BY ECF**

The Honorable Cathy Seibel  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
300 Quarropas Street  
White Plains, New York 10601

**Re:     *United States v. Richard Lockett, 13 Cr. 880 (CS)***

Dear Judge Seibel:

The Government writes to inform the Court that the parties expect to reach an agreed upon disposition of the pending violations in the above-captioned case. As the Court knows, an evidentiary hearing is currently scheduled for January 30, 2020 at 10:30a.m. With the consent of defense counsel, the Government proposes that the January 30 court appearance remain in place, but that the parties appear for a likely plea disposition and sentencing, rather than an evidentiary hearing. In order to avoid unnecessarily inconveniencing possible witnesses, the Government respectfully proposes that—in the unlikely event that no plea occurs—the evidentiary hearing be adjourned. Defense counsel has informed the Government that he joins in this adjournment request on behalf of his client.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc:     Daniel Parker, Esq. (by ECF)

SO ORDERED.

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CATHY SEIBEL, U.S.D.J.

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